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An early indication of acceptability of the Formal Drawings is earnestly solicited.

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Applicant submits four (4) sheets of formal drawings, Figures 1-7, herewith. Please substitute same for the drawings presently on file in the above-identified patent application.

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